NABBS OF STAFFORD

ARMS: Argent on a bend cottised gules between two leopards faces sable three escallops or (*1664/1700) (Granted by William Dugdale 3 Jan 1675.6)

CREST: Illustrated in *1664/1700

Thomas Nabbs gentleman c1565-....
m 29 Jan 1615.6 Seighford: Elizabeth Harcourt dau of John Harcourt of Ranton, Staffs c1543-1619 QV; b c1569; m1 Thomas Downes of Coton Clanford in Seighford, Staffs c1565-a1616
(as son-in-law of John Harcourt) 1619 E (Ranton); (bought land in Haughton) 1624-5 [SHC NS X i 55]

[? FATHER OF]

William Nabbs of Stafford gentleman c1624-
(with Rowland Cotton, bought advowson of Haughton) 1666
(assigned next presentation to Haughton to John Beech of Fordhayes in Stoke-upon-Trent yeoman) 1674 1684 [KUL/S/487]
(? as Mr Nabbs, ?owned a farm at Barton in Bradley) 1680 [KING]
(living) 1693

[? SAME AS]

William Nabbs of Stafford gentleman c1624-a1699
m1 Thomasin -----
m2 Mary -----; 1699 E hw; Will as widow (PCC) 9 May 1719
d a25 Jul 1699; Will (...)
(as Mr., 8 hearths, Green Gate, Stafford) 1666 HT; (attorney)
(J.P., Staffs (had died a25 Jul 1699)
chn: Mary Nabbs b 4 Nov 1654 Stafford St Mary; m 16 Sep 1675 Stafford St Mary: William Murhall of Bagnall, Staffs c1640-.... QV
Elizabeth Nabbs b 15 Mar 1656 Stafford St Mary
William Nabbs b 3 Apr 1657 Stafford St Mary; d ? in infancy
Thomas Nabbs c 18 Feb 1658 Stafford St Mary; d ? in infancy
William Nabbs c 29 Sep 1659 Stafford St Mary
Ann Nabbs c 8 Dec 1660 Stafford St Mary
Thomasin Nabbs c 31 Oct 1662 Stafford St Mary; m 28 Jul 1689 Pattingham: William Green (Mayor of Stafford); d 5 Jan 1704.5; i Stafford St Mary; M.I. [below]
Felice Nabbs c 19 Jul 1666 Stafford St Mary; [? m Robert Jones of Gray's Inn, Middx]
[2] Thomas Nabbs c 22 Dec 1674 Stafford St Mary <u>below</u>
John Nabbs c 2 Dec 1679 Stafford St Mary

<u>D543/B/3/1</u>
<u>Marriage Settlement of Edward son and heir of Anthony Byrd of Field/Ellen daughter of William Nabbs of Stafford</u>
<u>1668</u>

but see Bird where she is cllaed Ellen Farmer

"Here also lyeth the body of Thomazine there daughter late wife of William Green now Mayor of this borough she departed this life the 5th day of January 1704 aged 42 Resurgam" [WSL SV IX 73]

Privilege of of a Member in a Suit. The House being informed, that a Cause is carried down to Trial, against Sir Francis Lawley, a Member of this House (concerning a Messuage and Lands of the said

Sir Francis, in the County of Stafford) without his Knowledge, during his Sitting in this House, at the Suit of John Robinson, Lessee to Maurice Tompson, Plaintiff; and Judgment had against the casual Ejector; and a Writ of Habere facias Possessionem sued forth, directed to the Sheriff of the said County; which was prosecuted by one William Nabbs an Attorney, without Notice given to the said Sir Francis Lawley, or his Attorney; to the Breach of the Privilege of this House; Resolved, That the said Maurice Thompson and William Nabbs be sent for, in Custody, by the Serjeant at Arms attending this House: And the Sheriff for the County of Stafford is hereby required and enjoined, at his Peril, to forbear the executing of the said Writ; the Privilege of this House being therein concerned [House of Commons Journal Volume 8: 6 December 1660]

Thomas Nabbs of Stafford Esquire 1674-p1711
c 22 Dec 1674 Stafford St Mary
[? m1 16 Apr 1699 Wolverhampton: Elizabeth Allen]
[? m2 25 May 1707 Wolverhampton: Margery Wilkes]
(Sheriff, Staffs) 20-30 Nov 1699 1702
(as Sheriff and as Esquire [two entries] , a Staffordshire Land Tax Commissioner had an annual income from land of œ100 or more) *1702
(his account books of 1699-1711) C104/265

C 104/265 BUNDLE No 32: Articles of agreement between Mary Nabbs, widow, and Thomas Nabbs, both of Stafford, executors of the will of William Nabbs, deceased, relating to the division of his estate, including a house and its contents in Stafford (marked B); and releases of legacy of Robert Jones of Grays Inn, Middx, and his wife, Felicia; and of William Greene of Stafford (marked C and D) with note that they were exhibited in the cause Jones v. Nabbs. [1699-1711]

Theophilia Nabbs
Will as spinster of Stafford (PCC) 25 Jun 1703

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*1664/1700; HAUGHTON FAMILIES; STAFFORD ST MARY PRINTED PR (20/2/05)